

**Subject: Pipeline Appeal**

**Resent-From:** Islandereast.Comments@noaa.gov

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**To:** <IslanderEast.comments@noaa.gov>

Many experts, public officials, and residents of the Town of Branford and the towns immediately surrounding Branford have expertly and amply documented the obvious risks of environmental damage, of health and safety problems, and of major negative economic impact which are inherent in the proposal to build the pipeline. As a resident and a property owner in both the Stony Creek section of the Town of Branford and the Thimble Islands, the two areas which would be the most immediately impacted by the pipeline, I am writing to ask you to consider one other factor when you make your decision. The opposition to the building of the pipeline by those who would be most immediately impacted is unquestionably overwhelming. In essence, apart from the Islander East company itself and a handful of lobstermen to whom the Islander East company has offered huge cash settlements, no one supports building the pipeline. Today more and more individuals in the United States have lost faith altogether in the willingness of their government to make fair and even - handed decisions based on fact, rather than decisions which have been bought and paid for by deep - pocket businesses and others who can afford to hire lobbyists. In the long run, and maybe now in the not very distant future at all, the ever - increasing loss of faith of our country's ordinary citizens in the fairness of their government will be disastrous for our country. Any decision to allow the pipeline to be built would simply increase this very real problem.

Respectfully submitted, —  
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**Subject: islander east opposition**

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I'm writing on behalf of the Civic Association of Short Beach to oppose the construction of the islander east pipeline in Branford. The civic association is an association of homeowners located in the western portion of Branford chartered by the state of Connecticut.

Sincerely Yours,

David C. Perkins  
Zoning Enforcement Officer

**Subject: The Cross Sound Gas Line**

**Resent-From:** Islandereast.Comments@noaa.gov

**Date:** Fri, 14 Nov 2003 16:34:59 -0800 (PST)

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Dear NOAA: The Secretary of Commerce should not reverse the decision of the CT DEP. There is no justification for federal intervention, as a feasible and reasonable alternative exists. Thank you. Dr. Michael V. DiMassa and Donna S. DiMassa